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- ☒ Resubmission of Amendment
- ☒ Transmittal

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In re Application of: Jean J. G. Rutten, et al.

For: Method and Apparatus for Imparting Curves in Elongated Implantable Medical Instruments

Serial No.: 09/934,189

Filed: August 21, 2001

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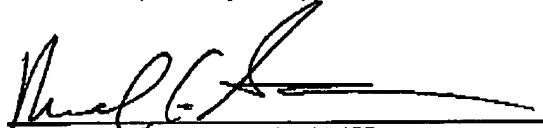
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Serial No.	09/934,189	Group Art Unit:	3739
Filing Date:	August 21, 2001	Docket No.:	P-9282.00
Title:	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IMPARTING CURVES IN ELONGATED IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL INSTRUMENTS		

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